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CO REMOVER THAT IS SIMPLE IN STRUCTURE AND PERFORMS

SELECTIVE REACTION OF CO AT A HIGH CO SELECTIVITY

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

Applicants elect Species I (FIG. 2), Species i (FIG. 4), and Species A (water-type cooling unit at page 15, lines 10-12) in response to the Election of Species Requirement of May 30, 2003. Claims 1-9 and 12-14 read upon the elected species. As recognized in the Election of Species Requirement, generic claims are present.

An early and favorable action on the merits is requested.



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Respectfully submitted,

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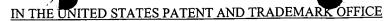
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